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In re Application of

Peter J. Spransy et al : DECISION ON PETITION Application No. 10/077,359 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Filed: February 15, 2002 Attorney Docket No. 4764US

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed March 1, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is granted.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely pay the issue and publication fees on or before March 1, 2005 as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due, mailed December 1, 2004. Additionally, corrected formal drawings were required by a Notice mailed August 3, 2005. However, at the time of mailing of this Notice, the application was abandoned. Thereafter, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed on September 22, 2005.

The petition satisfies the requirements for a grantable petition in that the reply in the form of payment of the \$700 issue fee and \$300 publication fee; the petition fee of \$750; and the required statement of unintentional delay have been submitted. Accordingly, the issue and publication fees are accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Inquiries related to this communication should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3218.

This matter is being referred to Publishing Division via Technology Center AU 3635 for appropriate action on the amendment under 37 CFR 1.312 and for review of the drawings received with the petition.

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